



IFW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Mail Stop: ISSUE FEE**  
Norihiisa MIYOSHI et al. : **Confirmation No. 9807**  
Serial No. 09/581,593 : [Group Art Unit 1725  
Filed June 15, 2000 : Examiner Len Tran]  
FUEL GASIFICATION SYSTEM :

**REQUEST FOR INITIALED COPY OF FORM PTO-1449**  
**AND**  
**REQUEST THAT REFERENCES BE CONSIDERED AND MADE OF RECORD**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0976

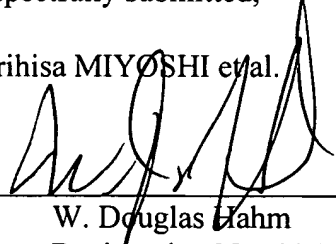
Sir:

Applicants submitted two separate Information Disclosure Statements and PTO-1449 Forms on December 6, 2002 and September 30, 2004. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner initial the PTO-1449 Forms submitted on the above mentioned dates (copies attached) to indicate that the references have been considered and have been formally made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

Norihiisa MIYOSHI et al.

By

  
W. Douglas Hahm  
Registration No. 44,142  
Attorney for Applicants

WDH/gtg  
Washington, D.C. 20006-1021  
Telephone (202) 721-8200  
Facsimile (202) 721-8250  
December 21, 2004

FORM PTO 1449 (modified)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICELIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT(S)  
(Use several sheets if necessary)

Date Submitted to PTO: September 30, 2004

ATTY DOCKET NO.  
2000-0756ASERIAL NO.  
09/581,593

DEC 21 2004

APPLICANT  
Norihiya MIYOSHI et al.FILING DATE  
June 15, 2000GROUP  
1725

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	2,985,515	05/1961	McKinley			
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO	
	AJ							
	AK							
	AL							
	AM							
	AN							

## OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	AO	
	AP	
	AQ	

EXAMINER

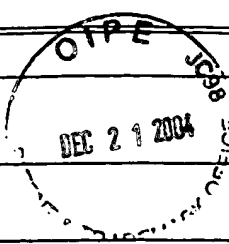
DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER Initial if reference considered whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of form with next communication to applicant.

FORM PTO 1449 (modified)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICELIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT(S)  
(Use several sheets if necessary)

Date Submitted to PTO: December 6, 2002

ATTY DOCKET NO.  
2000\_0756ASERIAL NO.  
09/581,593APPLICANT  
Norihiisa MIYOSHI et al.FILING DATE  
June 15, 2000GROUP  
1724

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	4,274,941	6/23/81	Janssen et al.			
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
	AJ	0 030 152	6/10/81	EP			
	AK	0 312 840	4/26/89	EP			
	AL	0 117 634	9/5/84	EP			
	AM						
	AN						

## OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	AO	
	AP	
	AQ	

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.